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Attention: E. von Rauch, Esq.

Reminder

European Patent Office

International Preliminary Examining Authority

D-80298 Munich,

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**Please acknowledge receipt of  
this letter/reminder.**

Re: Written Opinion in the International Application No. PCT/JP03/09170

Our Ref.: F910

Dear Sirs,

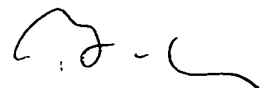
Regarding the above international application, we received a Written Opinion having a mailing date of 24. 08. 2004.

However, we previously received a Written Opinion having a mailing date of 28. 11. 2003, and filed an article 34 amendment dated 15. 01. 2004 as a response to the Written Opinion. We noted that in the latest Written Opinion, the amendment was not considered and the original claims were the object of the examination.

Please let us know if the article 34 amendment was properly entered and why the second Written Opinion was necessary.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,



OSHIMA Yoichi

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Attachment:

- (1) Copy of the front page of Written Opinion of 28. 11. 2003
- (2) Copy of the front page of Written Opinion of 24. 08. 2004

FORM PTO-1390 (REV 12-2001)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 59406.00026
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		DATE: December 7, 2004
		U.S. APPLN. NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 C.F.R. 1.5) <b>10/517141</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2003/009170	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 18 July 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 13 November 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION: SLOTLESS ROTARY ELECTRIC MACHINE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF COILS FOR SUCH A MACHINE		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Masao NAGANO; Masaru OZAWA		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. (THE BASIC FILING FEE IS ATTACHED)</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A proper demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].</li> <li>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].</li> </ol>		
Items 11 - 19 below concern other document(s) or information included:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98, along with form PTO-1449 and 10 References.</li> <li>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</li> <li>14. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.</li> <li>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>19. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: CHECK NO. 12260; Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-22; 17 sheets); PCT/ISA/210; Article 34 Amendments; PCT/IPEA/408 of 10/8/04; Letter to EPO dated 10/06/04; PCT/IPEA/408 of 08/24/04; PCT/IB/332; PCT/IB/308; PCT/IPEA/408 of 11/28/03; PCT/IPEA/401; PCT/IB/304; PCT Request</li> </ol>		

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20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: <b>Basic National Fee [37 C.F.R. 1.492(a)(1)-(5)]:</b> Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO.....\$950.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482).....\$750.00 No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO [37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)].....\$790.00 Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) or international search fee [37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)] paid to USPTO.....\$1,110.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 C.F.R. 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4).....\$ 100.00				CALCULATIONS   PTO USE ONLY	
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =				\$ 950.00	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)].					
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate		
Total Claims	7 - 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00		
Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0	X \$ 88.00		
Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$300.00		
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 950.00	
Reduction by one-half for filing by small entity, if applicable. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.					
SUBTOTAL =				\$ 950.00	
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later the <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 C.F.R. 1.492(f)].					
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 950.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)]. The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				\$ 40.00	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$ 990.00	
				Amount to be refunded	\$
				Charged	\$

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a. ☒ A check in the amount of \$990.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

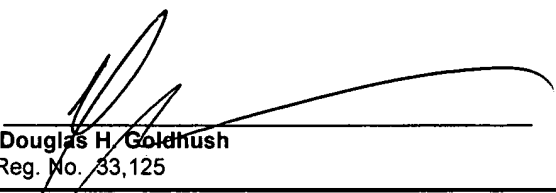
b. ☐ Please charge Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above fee.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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